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Detective Inspector Pilecki  
New York Police Department  
Traffic Division  
136 West 36<sup>th</sup> Street  
New York, NY 10018

**Re: Buses on West 26th Street and 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue**

Dear Inspector Pilecki

Manhattan Community Board 4 requests your assistance in enforcing the traffic rules that prohibit buses from traveling on residential streets.

In recent weeks, we have heard from numerous residents complaining that the volume of buses on residential streets, particularly W26th Street between 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> Avenues, has increased significantly. Although they are not alone, the company Big Bus is reported as being the main culprit.

W26th Street has a playground, a school and a recreation center used by many seniors. Commercial bus traffic on such a busy residential street is putting all these parents, children and seniors in danger.

We would appreciate a focused enforcement effort on West 26<sup>th</sup> Street between 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue to deter buses from using this route.

Sincerely,

Delores Rubin  
Chair

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